

REMARKS

This reply is submitted pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §132 and 37 C.F.R. §1.111. The Office Action was carefully considered by the undersigned attorney. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

1. Summary of the Office Action.

Claim 16 was Non-Compliant pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121.

2. Discussion.

Claim 16 has been amended to comply with the examiner's instruction. The claim is believed to now be in compliance.

3. Conclusion.

Applicant has rectified the text of the newly added claim, Claim 16, pursuant to the examiner's directive. It is believed that this case is in a condition for allowance. Reconsideration and favorable action are respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner believe that telephone communication would advance the prosecution of this case to finality, s/he is invited to call at the number below.

It is respectfully requested that, if necessary to effect a timely response, this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136(a), provided a Petition is not submitted separately.

Please charge any fee due not paid by a check or credit card provided herewith, and/or charge any underpayment in any fee, and/or credit any overpayment in fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-2381.

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| INDEPENDENT Claims Remaining over that Previously Paid: | None | \$ 0 |
| | SUM Claim Fees: | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION Fees: | | \$ 0 |
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Respectfully submitted,



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